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Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070035		
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE		
Inspection Date:	Wednesday, May 19, 2004		
Start Date/Time:	05/19/2004 12:00:00 PM		
End Date/Time:	05/19/2004 3:00:00 PM		
Last Inspection:	Wednesday, April 21, 2004		

Inspector: Karl Houskeeper. Environmental Scientist III

Weather: <u>Clear. ~Temp 75 Deg F</u> InspectionID Report Number: <u>274</u>

Accepted by: pgrubaug

06/01/2004

Permitee: SUNNYSIDE COGENERATION ASSOCIATES Operator: SUNNYSIDE COGENERATION ASSOCIATES

Site: SUNNYSIDE REFUSE & SLURRY

Address: PO BOX 159, SUNNYSIDE UT 84539

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages	Mineral Ownership	Types of Operations		
310.00 Total Permitted	☐ Federal	Underground		
202.00 Total Disturbed	☐ State	Surface		
Phase I	☐ County	Loadout		
Phase II	✓ Fee	Processing		
Phase III	Other	✓ Reprocessing		

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments:

There are no pending compliance actions. The only permit condition currently in place is that the permittee must submit all water monitoring data in an electronic format to the Division's web site. The permittee is complying with this stipulation.

Inspector's Signature:

Karl Houskeeper, Environmental Scientist III

Inspector ID Number: 49

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENT.

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
 - b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- 3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
- 4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	\checkmark		✓	
2.	Signs and Markers	✓		<u> </u>	
3.	Topsoil	✓			
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	✓			
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	✓		✓	
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	✓			
4.d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	✓		✓	
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	✓		✓	
5.	Explosives		V		
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	✓		✓	
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	✓		Y	
8.	Noncoal Waste	✓			
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	✓			
10.	Slides and Other Damage	✓			
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation	V			
12.	Backfilling And Grading	V			
13.	Revegetation	V			
14.	Subsidence Control		✓		
15.	Cessation of Operations	✓			
16.	a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	V			
16.	b Roads: Drainage Controls	V			
17.	Other Transportation Facilities	✓			
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	✓			
19.	AVS Check	V		✓	
20.	Air Quality Permit	V		V	
21.	Bonding and Insurance	✓		✓	
22.	Other	✓			

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1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

The following permits were reviewed:

- -Mining permit C/007/035 issued February 4, 2003 and expires February 4, 2008.
- -UPDES permit #UT0024759 effective August 1, 2002 and expires midnight July 31, 2007.
- -Air Quality Permit DAQO-702038-02 issued November 1, 2002, remains in effect.
- -SPCC plan is only applicable to plant site which is not within the permit area.
- -Certificate of Insurance effective 08/01/2003 and terminates 08/01/2004.
- -Reclamation agreement is dated December 1996 and signed by both parties.

2. Signs and Markers

The mine ID sign is located adjacent to the tipple. The MSHA Refuse and Impoundment signs were also checked during the inspection.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

The first quarter 2004 sediment pond inspections were conducted on March 12, 2004 and compiled into a report that is P.E. certified on April 6, 2004.

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

First quarter 2004 water monitoring information has been submitted into the EDI website and uploaded. Baseline parameters were used to analyze the samples.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

Reviewed the April 2004 Discharge Monitoring Reports. No discharge occurred from any of the outfalls.

6. Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches

Excess spoil pile #1 and #2 were inspected on March 12, 2004 and compiled into a P.E. certified report dated April 6, 2004.

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7. Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments

Reviewed the 04/06/2004 inspection report for the refuse pile and MSHA impoundment. The inspection was done on 03/12/2004 and was P.E. certified. No hazardous conditions were denoted in the report. The MSHA identification number for the refuse pile is 1211-UT-09-02093-01.

The East Slurry Cell is the only remaining impoundment on site under the jurisdiction of MSHA due to the size of the impoundment. The East Slurry Cell no longer receives slurry, since the closure of the Sunnyside Mine. The mandatory inspection frequency for this impoundment has been changed from every 7 days to every 30 days. A variance from the mandatory 7-day inspection frequency was granted by MSHA on September 12, 2001. The MSHA identification number for the East Slurry Cell is 1211-UT 02093-02. The East Slurry Cell was inspected on 03/12/2004, P.E. certified, and is part of the report dated 04/06/2004.

19. AVS Check

An AVS check was conducted by the Division on May 11, 2004 and reviewed on May 13, 2004. The AVS information is current.

20. Air Quality Permit

DAQO-702038-02 issued November 1, 2002, remains in effect. Air Quality Permit DAQE-691-99 issued August 13, 1999 was replaced by DAQO-702038-02. The permit was modified to allow the usage of a diesel generator on the power plant site. The Air Quality Permit covers both the power plant and mine site. The power plant site is not regulated by DOGM.

21. Bonding and Insurance

A Pledge and Escrow agreement dated January 4, 2002 is in place. This agreement is between Wells Fargo and the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining on behalf of SCA. SCA has invested \$1,747,000 in federally guaranteed Treasury Notes. The required bond amount is \$1,720,000.

Insurance for the site is under Federal Insurance Company, policy #3581-69-76. The policy was issued on August 1, 2003 and expires on August 1, 2004. The policy meets all the minimum requirements of the coal rules. No explosives coverage is noted on the insurance form. However, the MRP clearly identifies that all issues regarding explosives are not addressed, since explosives will not be used at the site. The certificate holder is listed as the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.